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## Corps to hold public open houses at McNary and Ice Harbor dams on recreation initiatives

**Walla Walla, Wash.,** -- Natural resources officials from the Walla Walla District, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, will hold public open houses Aug. 30 concerning modernization of facilities on the Snake and Columbia rivers.

The open houses will be held 6:30 - 8:30 p.m. at Ice Harbor Dam Visitor Center near Burbank, Wash., and at the Pacific Salmon Visitor Information Center at McNary Dam near Umatilla, Ore.

"Public input of ideas and recommendations are important for future planning," said Park Ranger Jeanne Newton.

At the Ice Harbor open house, the public may also participate in a workshop that will address the modernization of Hood Park, improvements and updated interpretive materials at the Ice Harbor Visitor Center in preparation for the upcoming Lewis and Clark bicentennial.

For more information regarding the workshop call Newton at (509) 543-3263.

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